

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

A Petition for Extension of Time (one-month), up to and including March 5, 2009, accompanies this Reply.

In response to the Office Action of November 5, 2008, please reconsider the above-identified patent application based on the following amendments and remarks:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.